ABIJAH HOLMES.

JANUARY 3, 1832.

Mr. Hubbard, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions to whom was referred the petition of Abijah Holmes, report:

That it appears from the affidavit and petition of the petitioner, that he served for nine months and a half under two different enlistments, in the service of the United States, in the years 1775 and 1776; that, under the first enlistment, he served in Captain Saml. Delavan's company for four months; and, under the 2d enlistment, he served in Capt. John Thomas's company, in Gen. Scott's brigade, for five and a half months: that after the expiration of said enlistments, he received his honorable discharge; and it also appeared that, in the year 1777, he enlisted in Capt. Richard Sacket's company, in the service called the minute service, and that he continued in said service to the close of the war; which facts are fully proved by the testimony of John Holmes and Richard Miller, soldiers of the revolution.

It also appears that the petitioner is 74 years of age, and that he is in indigent circumstances; and needs the assistance of his country for his support. The committee are of opinion that the petitioner is entitled to a pension, and

therefore report a bill.

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